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LIBRARY EVENTS & INFO

We have a great calendar of events on our Web site! Take a look at

<http://library.strathamnh.gov> and click on "Library Events." All of the following programs are free and open to the public.

GENERAL LIBRARY INFORMATION:

New Library Website!

The library has a new website: <http://library.strathamnh.gov>

We hope you will find it easy to use and a great place to keep up with all of the exciting things going on here at your library: new items, fun events and information for your life. We'll be adding a lot more information and features over the next few weeks, so please check back often and subscribe to Library News Notifications so you will get e-mails when new things are added to the Web site. We'd love to hear what you think!

Upcoming Adult Programs:

- ***Marketing Communication - The Seven Basics Every Business Should Absolutely, Positively Be Doing, Tuesday, March 16, 6:30 pm*** (rescheduled from February)
Are you starting a new business or just interested in growing the business you have? Mary Alice LaPoint, President of To The Point Marketing presents: *Marketing Communication – The Seven Basics Every Business Should Absolutely, Positively Be Doing*. Business on a budget? Can't afford expensive marketing programs? No funds for new sales staff right now? Working as a Solo business owner? Work out of your home? Come learn about the "seven basics that will help every small business grow – even in a tough economy." Ms. LaPoint comes to us with over 25 years of experience in the marketing industry. She now owns her own marketing agency located in Exeter and works with her small business clients to grow sales revenue through good quality communication and increased brand recognition.

Notes from the Children's Room

- The Winter Storytime and Baby Lapsit session will be on break for two weeks and begin our 6-week Spring session on Monday, March 8.
- Don't forget our special elementary-aged event being held during Winter vacation. Children in Kindergarten through 5th-Grade are invited to a **PENGUIN-PALOOZA** on Wednesday, February 24, from 10:30 to 12:00. We will be making a soft-sculpture sock penguin, a rubber-stamped

penguin project, playing penguin games, and whipping up some penguin snacks. Sign up at the Youth Circulation Desk, or call Miss Jan at 772-4346 missjan@wigginml.org.

Other Library Information:

- **Renew Your Library Campaign:**

Now that the construction part of Phase I is complete, we are purchasing furniture, shelving and other necessities for the newly expanded space. Community donations so far have added up to more than **\$20,000.00** to date for this purpose. We are purchasing things like homework tables, dry-erase boards for the meeting and study rooms, shelving units to replace the ones that are no longer usable, and comfortable chairs for the community meeting space. Next year, we will be outfitting the renovated space from Phase II.

Our 2-year goal is to raise \$60,000.00. **Your donation today will be fully tax deductible** and move us along the path to the halfway mark. May we count on your help? If so, please send your gift to the library (Wiggin Memorial Library, 10 Bunker Hill Ave, Stratham) or use the online donation option of our Web site (<http://library.strathamnh.gov/fundraising.htm#gifts>).

COMMUNITY NOTES:

- **AARP Tax-Aide:** for tax payers with low- and middle-income, with special attention to those age 60 and older. Trained Tax Aide volunteers provide help from Feb. 1 to April 15. All sites are walk-in. Sites are: Exeter Senior Housing, 277 Water Street, Monday and Friday mornings 9 ó 11:30 am; Exeter Public Library, Tuesday and Thursday evenings 4:30 ó 7 pm; Epping American Legion Post 51 on Route 125 just north of Route 27, Tuesdays 1 ó 3:30 pm. **For more information, please call Fred at 772-2645 or Bob at 772-5562** (please do **not** call the Senior Housing, Library or American Legion)
- **American Independence Museum** will be showcased in a special exhibit at the Portsmouth Athenaeum from Feb. 5 ó April 24, with additional talks and lectures on the collection and New Hampshire's role during the American Revolution. www.independencemuseum.org
- **Heavenly Ball 2010** Join us on March 20, 2010 at the beautiful Sheraton Portsmouth Harborside Hotel, for our second annual Heavenly Ball. Tickets for the 2010 Heavenly Ball are ON SALE NOW!!! Tickets are \$125.00 per couple or \$75.00 each and includes; cocktail hour beginning at 6pm with the acoustic sounds of Charlie Strater, all you can eat dinner buffet and dancing from 7pm with master dj JR We will have a silent auction throughout the evening. Annie's Angels has reserved a block of rooms at a discounted rate for the evening but they are first come first served. Buy your tickets NOW! Go to www.anniesangels.net
- **Winter Coat Drive:** Wonderland Thrift Shop in Exeter is holding a Winter Coat Drive. For more information call 793-4284

- **Knit or Crochet a Troop Cap for U.S. Service Members to be distributed by Pease Greeters.** Instructions for knitting or crocheting troop caps for service members are available both at the library and on the library's website. Finished hats can be dropped off at the library, or you can contact JoAnne Schottler, 772-8620 for more information.
- **The Fixit Program** for Seniors is a program of volunteers who assist seniors (60 years old and older) or disabled homeowners with minor home repairs and maintenance. Any senior homeowner or disabled homeowner may call for assistance & there is no income requirement to use the service. To reach The Fixit Program, call 603-430-2923 or 1-800-856-5525.

NEW BOOKS & MORE

Books: Fiction:

Mystery & Suspense

Boyd, Noah, *The Bricklayer*

General Fiction

Erdrich, Louise, *Shadow Tag*

Ferris, Joshua, *The Unnamed*

Hannah, Kristin, *Winter Garden*

Trigiani, Adriana, *Brava, Valentine*

Books: Nonfiction

Medicine & Technology, includes gardening, cooking, parenting, business (aka 600s)

May, Michelle, *Eat What You Love, Love What You Eat*

History, Geography & Travel (aka 900s)

Young, Andrew, *The Politician: An Insider's Account of John Edward's Pursuit of the Presidency and the Scandal that Brought Him Down*

Biography, Autobiography, Memoir (aka BIOs)

Linklater, Andro, *An Artist in Treason: The Extraordinary Double Life of General James Wilkinson*

Music: CD

Journey, Greatest Hits

DVD

The Boy in the Striped Pajamas
Food, Inc.

ABOUT THE E-MAIL NEWSLETTER

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--Tricia Ryden, Assistant Director